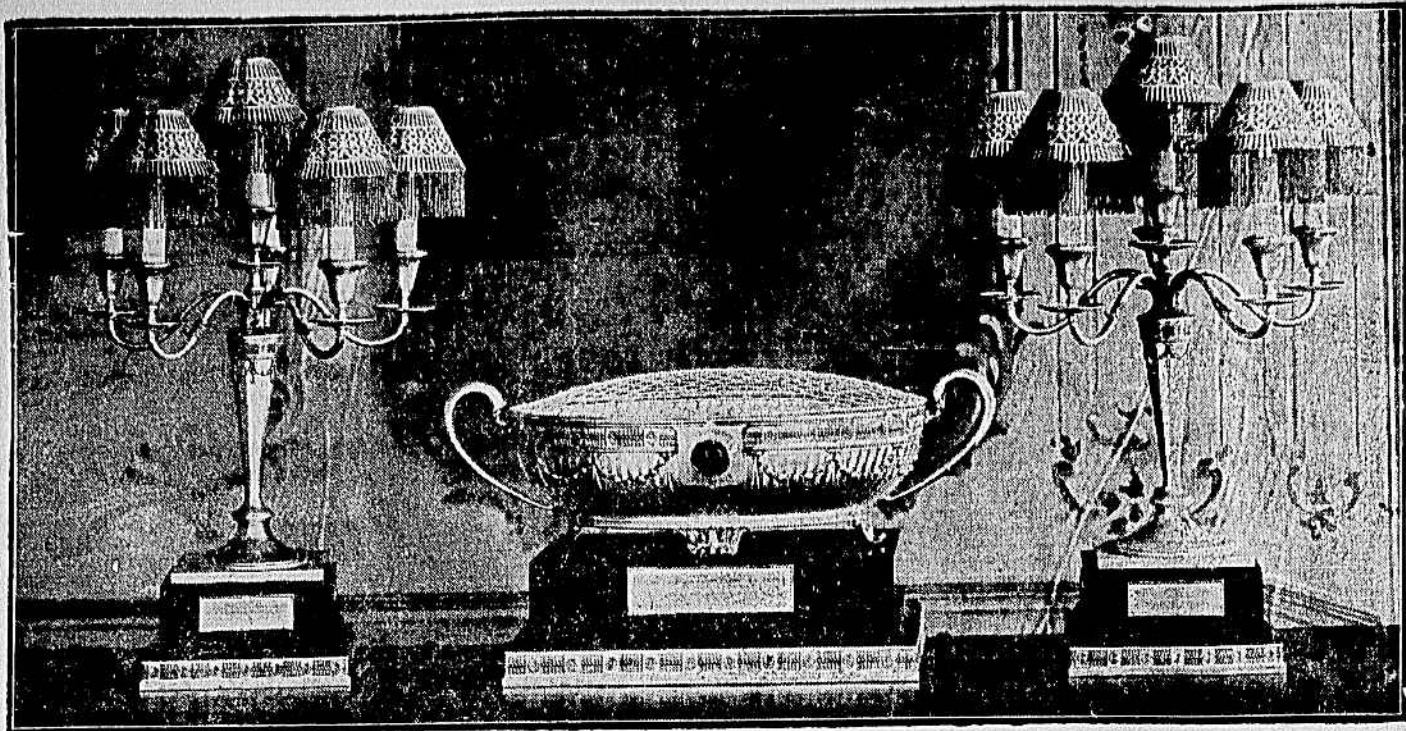


# SILVER SERVICE PRESENTED TO THE BATTLESHIP VIRGINIA BY COLONIAL DAMES OF THIS STATE



The silver service which the Colonial Dames of Virginia are to present to the battleship Virginia is on exhibition at the Jefferson. It consists of three solid silver pieces of very heavy make. The center piece is a large oval-shaped bowl, and the side pieces are electric candelabra. The bowl, or epergne, is about 24 inches long by 12 wide. Applied in relief on one side is the Seal of Virginia,

and on the opposite the United States Navy Department Seal. The epergne has a triple use, having adjustable parts for cut flowers, ferns and fruit. It rests upon a block of ebony, with a silver base.

On the front side of the block is a small silver tablet, with the following inscription: "Presented by the Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the State of Virginia to the Battleship Virginia, 1906. The name gives warrant of heroic deeds."

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## EASTER WEDDING BELLS RINGING

Sunshine and Flowers for Fair April Brides.

### APRIL ENTERTAINMENTS

Society Busy at Cards, Luncheons and Musicals—Annual Jamestown Excursion.

### Take Back the Heart.

Take back the heart that thou gavest, What is mine anguish to thee— Take back the freedom thou cravest, Leaving the fetters to me.

Take back the vows thou hast spoken, Fling them aside and be free; Smile o'er each pitiful token, Leaving the sorrow for me.

Drink deep of life's fond illusion, Gaze on the storm-cloud and flee; Swiftly thro' strife and confusion, Leaving the burden to me.

Then when at last overtaken, Time flings its fetters o'er thee; Come with a trust still unshaken, Come back a captive to me.

Come back in sadness or sorrow, Once more my darling to be; Come as old, love, to borrow Glimpses of sunlight from me.

Love shall resume its dominion, Striving no more to be free, When on her world-weary pinion,

Flies back my lost love to me. —Mrs. Charles Barnard, in Old Song.

### Post-Lenten Season.

Gay Easter week has come and gone, and society is looking forward to fresh sources of interest and amusement.

The Richmond debutantes that have been and the debutantes that are-to-be were feted to their sweet content at the University of Virginia last week, where the University German Club, the Ell Bananas and the "Tikks," to say nothing of the Arcadians, vied each with the other to give brilliant entertainments in honor of their fair guests.

The young people who came home from school to spend their Easter vacation had their book of engagements filled to the last moment of their stay, dances at the Hermitage Golf Club and at Masonic Temple engaging their attention. Miss Nancy Patton, Miss Dorothy Christian and Miss Isabel Carter were among the young hostesses of the week. Among those returning to school this week will be Miss Frances Myers, Miss Katherine Gunn, Miss Anne Keith Royall, Miss Grace Perkins and others.

The forecast in weddings for this week is very bright. Miss Gladys Frazier, who was the most popular debutante of two seasons ago, will be married on the afternoon of April 25th to Mr. A. Erskine Miller, of Staunton, Va. On the same day the wedding of Miss Grace Cunningham to Mr. W. Scott Copeland will be celebrated in the home of the bride, and the marriage of Mrs. Julia Anthony Warfield to Mr. Richard Alexander Dunlop will take place in St. Paul's Church at 7 o'clock in the evening. Other nuptial events of more or less interest are scheduled for different dates throughout the week and month.

The delightful spring weather is a signal for the recurrence of garden parties, a most popular and charming form of entertainment that has come into vogue during recent years.

The list of luncheons, dinner parties, bridge parties and dances is large, and it would seem that society must have its hands full for the weeks remaining before the advent of summer.

### APRIL WEDDINGS.

Dunlop—Warfield.

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Novelties  
Belts  
Bags.



Combs  
Dog  
Collars

## Artistic Millinery at Unusually Attractive Prices—Showing the Latest Style Trend.



THE WEALTH AND VARIETY of our present Millinery showing pictures the newer style modes of the Spring season. Never were the assortments in better condition than now, and surely every daughter of Eve can find here the Hat model to suit her fancy. Then, there is a sprinkling of special values here and there that are especially interesting, if you wish to economize.

### CHILDREN'S MULL HATS.

WE show many new and dainty styles in Children's Hats, here are a few extra values, interesting to mothers:

CHILD'S MULL HAT, with double ruffle of accordion pleating, crown of China silk, ruffle of same, trimmed with Val. insertion. Rosettes on back and streamers of satin ribbon..... \$2.50  
CHILD'S CONTINENTAL SHAPE, made of fine mull, shirred crown of China silk and wide silk lace. Accordion pleated ruffle of China silk on edge. Trimmed with fancy bands and rosettes of ribbon..... \$2.98

MULL HAT IN POLK SHAPE, with full China silk crown, trimmed with large rosettes; double ruffle on edge; broad ties of mull; ribbon trimmed, fancy braid..... \$1.98  
MULL HAT, CONTINENTAL SHAPE, shirred on cord; shirred crown of China silk; double ruffle, edged with German Val. lace; pompon of silk, straw and rosettes of ribbon..... \$2.98

## Important Reduction Sale of New Suits—Entire Collection Priced at One-Third to One-Half Off for a Quick Clearance.

IT is imperative for us to make a decided clearance of all our Spring Suits. Even the new models that arrived last week have not escaped the knife, and the tardy suit buyer will find that there is a saving of one-third to one-half on every one. The price tickets tell the story of the reductions—the old, as well as the sale price is on them.

\$15.00, \$16.00 up to \$20.00 ETON SUITS at \$10.00.  
\$18.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00 ETON AND PONY SUITS at \$15.00.  
\$30.00 ETON SUITS at \$20.00.  
\$35.00 and \$40.00 ETON SUITS at \$25.00.  
\$45.00 and \$50.00 ETON SUITS at \$35.00.

## Charming New Waist Models—Showing the Newest Effects, for Street and Evening Wear.

WE have never offered a more complete gathering for your selection. Every model is distinctive, showing the highest type of artistic waist tailoring. We would be pleased to have you call and view this superb collection. Here are some beauties at little prices:

WAIST OF WHITE LAWN, wide panel of embroidery in centre of front, with broad tucks on either side, tucked back, deep tucked cuffs..... 75c  
WAIST OF WHITE LAWN, front of Val. insertion and clusters of fine tucks forming yoke; clusters of tucks on back; elbow sleeves, collar and bands on sleeves formed of tucks and Val. insertion..... \$1.12  
WAIST OF WHITE LAWN, deep Van Dyke yoke in front, formed of wide embroidery, with tucks in center; tucked back, elbow sleeves, high collar, or Dutch neck; also, many other styles daintily trimmed with Val. and embroidery, deep cuffs or elbow sleeves..... \$1.25

WAIST OF WHITE LAWN, deep yoke in front of fine tucks, tucked back, elbow sleeves, collar and bands on sleeves of embroidery..... \$1.62  
WAIST OF PERSIAN LAWN, front of all-over embroidery, with clusters of tucks forming yoke and strips of German Val. beneath, tucked back, elbow sleeves..... \$1.88  
LINGERIE WAIST OF FRENCH BATISTE, embroidered front, daintily trimmed with German Val. insertion and fine tucks, tucked back, elbow sleeves..... \$2.50

### IMPORTANT NOTICE.

WE have just received a shipment of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY PIECES OF DRESDEN AND PERSIAN RIBBONS, bought to sell at 38c the yard. For MONDAY we place them on special sale at 25c a yard.

will be at home after April 20th, No. 13 West Clay Street.

A delightful reception was given in honor of the bride party at the Elms home of Mrs. J. E. Quarles on the evening before the marriage. The bride is an attractive brunette, and has a large circle of friends in Hanover, Norfolk, Richmond and other places.

Mr. Malone is the eldest son of the late G. B. Malone, of Brunswick county, but is well known here, and is exceedingly popular. He is assistant superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company of Lee District. The bride's parents were numerous and very handsome.

Miller—Frazier.

The wedding of Miss Gladys Frazier

### Wedding Gifts Of Known Quality.

OUR reputation for selling THE BEST has stood the test of more than one hundred (100) years.

All Correspondence Given Careful Attention. Goods Sent on Approval, Express Prepaid.

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to Mr. A. Erskine Miller, taking place in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frazier, of No. 327 West Grace Street, at half-past three o'clock next Wednesday afternoon, will take place quietly, only the members of the two families and a few very intimate friends being invited.

Hitt—Logan.

Cards have been sent out announcing the wedding of Miss Lula D. Logan to Mr. James Hitt, in Washington, D. C., April 23rd.

Miss Logan is the pretty and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Logan, of this city. Mr. Hitt is a traveling salesman for the firm of T. D. Stokes and Company. Both have numerous friends in Richmond. They will return from their Northern wedding trip to make their home at No. 233 East Broad Street.

Hulcher—Duggan.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Nellie Genevieve Duggan to Mr. Edward George Hulcher, the ceremony to be performed in St. Peter's Cathedral Tuesday morning, April 23rd, at 8 o'clock.

King—Leadbetter.

Mrs. Poonchontas K. Leadbetter announces the marriage of her daughter, Anne Massey, to Mr. Richard Bolling King. The wedding took place on Wednesday, April 11th, at Atlantic City, N. J.

Pine Street Afternoon.

Pine Street afternoon at the Floral Carnival was a brilliant success. The entertainment was given by Mrs. S. B. Gary for Mrs. J. B. Hutson, the wife of the pastor of Pine Street Baptist Church, and reflected great credit on every one concerned in its management or participating in its programme. Mrs. S. B. Gary was the accompanist, and the following programme was rendered:

1. Instrumental Duet

2. Recitation.....Miss Mary Nickols

3. Solo.....Miss Mamie Rousa

4. Recitation.....Miss Edna Ennis

5. Anvil Chorus—

Misses Marion Richardson, Ethel Kullen, Marie Nickols, Jamie Nickols, Ethel Hutchinson, Rhenn Ford, Inez Hobson, Marie Gary, Blacksmiths—

Misses Mary Nickols and Myrtle Hobson.

6. Piano Solo.....Miss Marion Richardson

7. Recitation.....Miss May Felvey

8. Doll Drill.....Nine Little Girls

9. Recitation.....Miss Edna Ennis

10. Solo.....Master George Stutz

11. Recitation.....Miss May Felvey

12. Dixie.

Miss Rosamond Brauer executed several piano numbers beautifully. The Anvil Chorus awakened great enthusiasm as did recitations by Misses May Felvey and Edna Ennis.

The doll drill was excellent. So was the piano solo by Miss Marion Richardson.

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## THE DISTINCTLY VITAL ELEMENT OF A FASHIONABLE ATTIRE

is a Fashionable Corset, and

## The New Spring Models of



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are unanimously pronounced the season's most perfect creations. Artistically wrought into shapes of the truest and most dashing fashion, they lend to the wearers figure a tone of charming gracefulness.

For the NEW PRINCESS GOWNS the ULTRA BUST-CURVING WAIST models are especially designed. To obtain that long sweeping droop from the yoke of the gown down over the hips one of these corsets can be applied with positive success.

ULTRA BUST, SHORT HIP—MODEL 959. (Illustrated.) The very newest of fashion's creations. This garment marks the tendency of the changes in corset models. The bust is high enough to act as a perfect support, while the hips are short, with gored. A very pretty dip-curve is produced by this design. Price